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Presented by Joe Maurier
House Fish, Wildlife & Parks Committee

Mr. Chairman and committee members, for the record I am Joe Maurier, Administrator for the Parks Division of Fish, Wildlife & Parks (FWP).

In 1989, the Montana Conservation Corps was part of the Parks Division of FWP.

The Montana Conservation Corps became a not for profit and moved away from FWP in 1993, but the laws were never repealed. This bill is a good idea in that it cleans up an obsolete statute.

The Parks Division uses the Montana Conservation Corps and will continue to work with them in state parks should this bill pass.

We urge your support for repealing the obsolete Montana Conservation Corps Laws.